

## March of Dimes Drive Starts Monday, Jan. 3

Mrs. Julius Hammerschmitt  
Chairman OF Committee

Mrs. Julius Hammerschmitt has accepted appointment as Sierra Madre chairman of the 1955 March of Dimes, Sheriff Eugene Biscailuz, county campaign chairman, announced this week. The annual drive will get under way Monday, Jan. 3.

Mrs. Hammerschmitt will have as her chief assistants, Mrs. Robert Bettencourt as treasurer and Mrs. Rocky Summers, Jr., will serve in the capacity of Mothers' March chairman.

Mrs. Hammerschmitt has served as a volunteer worker for the local polio mercy appeal for several years, coming to Sierra Madre six years ago. She has been active in the work of the Sierra Madre Community Nursery School Auxiliary and the Civic Club.

In accepting the appointment she reports that splendid advances have been made in the study of Salk Vaccine and declared:

"We open the 1955 drive with bright prospects of eventually conquering polio. The man with the test tube looks to all of us to take our places beside him — to participate in what will be one of our nation's greatest medical achievements."

She pointed out that not only will added funds be needed to get the vaccine to our children immediately should it prove effective, but to continue to provide money for the care of those stricken in past years and who must not be forgotten. She is married to Dr. Julius Hammerschmitt and lives at 275 E. Orange Grove with their three children, Robert, 6, Victoria 5, and Denise, 3.

Anyone wishing to help out in this year's polio drive is asked to contact Mrs. Hammerschmitt at CU. 5-2249.

## Sports Writer Puts Neck Out BOLD BOWL BONERS

By BOB BROGGER

Roses are red  
The Trojans are blue  
The Rebels are in  
For a pasting too  
Auburn will get bit  
By the Baylor Bear  
And the Cornhuskers will be shocked  
But the Blue Devils don't care  
The Engineers are in for trouble  
For the Razorbacks will bust their bubble.

Here's hoping these major bowl games will look like this in the Sunday morning papers . . .

### SUGAR BOWL

Mississippi vs. Navy  
Probably being the closest of all the bowl games this year, you have to call it a tossup. Both teams scored the same amount of points this season (283), and both have ace quarterbacks that will pass the opposing team dizzy. Mississippi had a season record of 9-1, while the midshipmen squeezed through with a 7-2 standing. Arkansas handed Mississippi its only loss 6-0. Notre Dame and Pittsburgh downed Navy 6-0 and 21-19 respectively. The Sugar Bowl is going to rock that afternoon, and when everything has settled down it'll be Mississippi 27 Navy 24.

COTTON BOWL  
Arkansas vs Georgia Tech  
Another close game with both teams specializing in end sweeps, and the optional run and pass.

Arkansas, who was named the Cinderella Team of '54, had a seasonal record of 8-2, and scored 159 points. Their only two losses came when SMU eked out a win of 21-14, and LSU 7-6.

The Yellowjackets of Georgia Tech however, do not have as good a seasonal record as the Razorbacks (7-3) but played a few more rougher teams than did Arkansas, and are noted for their cleverness, and quickness near the end of the season, and are always tough in Bowl games.

After looking both teams over carefully, it looks like it'll be Arkansas 14 Georgia Tech 20.

### ORANGE BOWL

Nebraska vs Duke  
This will unsurprisingly be the worst game of the day. People are still wondering how on earth Nebraska ever got in a Bowl game.  
The Cornhuskers had a 6-4 record, and with not a too hot

## City Employee Pension Plan Makes Gain

The city employees' retirement plan was reported at City Council meeting Tuesday to be "progressing favorably." It is expected that the plan will be effective Jan. 1.

Twenty-one of the 23 employees contacted have endorsed the plan which requires a majority of 75 per cent, according to Jack Tidmore, local agent for the Connecticut General Life Insurance Co. which will mail a first draft of the contract to the city on Dec. 30.

All city employees will be eligible for benefits of the plan after one year of service, provided they are 21 years of age or older. Normal retirement age is 65, but according to the contract retirement may be made at 55 if the employee has had 25 years in city service. Retirement at 70 is mandatory, and retirement 10 years prior to the maturity date is possible but only at reduced pension payments. No annuity payments are provided for those with less than ten years service.

In general, pension payments will approximate 60 per cent of the employee's salary, plus the usual social security benefits accruing to those who have worked for the city for 30 years.

The employees' rate of payment to the retirement fund is three per cent of the first \$4200 of annual salary, plus 5 1/4 per cent thereafter. These salary deductions are matched by the City, plus additional administrative costs. Retroactive payments also will be made by the City in full for those on the payroll prior to Jan. 1, 1954.

### TV PROPOSAL HALTED

Recent plans for a master antenna system here hit a new low when City Council received a proposal through attorneys of the Community Television Co. of Hollywood to the effect that the company would like to abandon the project, claiming the cost of construction would be too high to be supported by the limited number of potential subscribers.

Councilman Pratt expressed the belief that the company has not acted in good faith. He suggested that a non-profit corporation be formed by Sierra Madreans to undertake the job for those who want better television reception.

The council accepted his offer to donate his time and efforts toward accomplishing such an arrangement, and asked for a report in the near future.

### NEW ANIMAL SHELTER

Other items on the agenda concerned the transfer of the Humane Society contract from San Gabriel to Pasadena, which will be effective in 30 days. Mrs. Virginia Miller and Dr. Anthony Dernelle, chiropractor, who had been influential in getting a petition for this matter, thanked the council for its action.

### PARKING DISTRICT

Further action on the parking district here awaits the reports from property appraisers, which will be available at the next meeting.

### BANK TO CLOSE

The Bank of Sierra Madre will be closed Friday night in observance of the New Year's holiday. It will be open Friday during its regular daytime hours, from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

a schedule.

They lost to Oklahoma 55-7; were squashed by Pittsburgh 21-7; managed to lose handily to Kansas State 7-3; and lost a good game to Minnesota 19-7.

The Blue Devils of Duke on the other foot, have played such teams as Purdue, Army, Georgia Tech, Navy, and North Carolina. And they came out of that schedule with a 7-2 status.

We pick the score to be . . . DUKE 33 NEBRASKA 20.

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IT'S A LONG, LONG SCROLL UNWINDING in the hands of City Attorney T. Guy Cornyn, (from left to right) City Councilmen David Wood, Harold Roberts, Lorne Pratt, and Mayor Charles Louk. At the far right is Col. Walter Thurber who presented the "Thank-You Note" containing the signatures of more than 1400 Sierra Madreans who wished to express their hearty approval and admiration for the way in which the mayor and councilmen have served the city in jobs that are often difficult, usually un-

applauded, and always without one cent of pay. The scroll, measuring 21 feet in length, required three weeks preparation on the part of civic leaders who collected the signatures. Presented to the council at its meeting last Tuesday evening, it created a brief but happy atmosphere of Yuletide cheer—until business-as-usual forced the issues to change from rare praise to common predicament. Councilman James was unable to be present.

## Kiwanis Gives Yule Luncheon For Leaguers

Seventeen members of the Sierra Madre Twilight Little League were guests of honor at the Kiwanis luncheon last week along with Steve Smith, Larry Morse, and Jimmy Shaffer. On the adult guest list were Carl Wedberg, past president of the Monrovia Kiwanis club, Pat Mozier of the East Hollywood club, Ken Smith and Dick Rice of the East Pasadena club.

Philip Mitchell, a former Kiwanian, led the group in singing Christmas carols, and Andy Church, who played the part of Santa Claus, gave presents to all. Another guest was W. Alden Webster.

Leland Marsh introduced Steve Smith, 13, of East Pasadena, who played a selection of piano solos.

After the musical program Pat "Gardensend" Mozier related some of his adventures while in the Armed Forces and told of a Christmas in Korea immediately following the last war. He was invited to return early next year to tell his "Patty Gardensend" story.

Charles Skutt, chairman of the Boys and Girls Committee, was program chairman for the day and President David Allen presided. Those among the younger guests were Anthony de la Torre, Daniel Springate, Gary Nuetzel, Tom Burgess, Richard Neumann, Gary Glasser, David Caswell, Terry Tidmore, Dickie List, Ronnie Morse, Howard Schaefer, John Daws, Alan Stubbs, Lincoln Haymaker, Laddie Podliska, Greg Predesian, and John Paige.

## Skutts Leave On European Trip

Charles Skutt, superintendent of city schools, and his wife left yesterday by train for Houston, Texas, from where they will embark upon an 18-week visit in Europe and the Mediterranean countries.

Sailing aboard a freighter, the "San McKay," they will leave Houston Jan. 1 for Casablanca, their first stop on Mr. Skutt's schedule during the sabbatical leave in which he and Mrs. Skutt intend to visit many educational institutions of foreign lands.

Last year the Skutts returned to Sierra Madre from a trip around the world which Mrs. Skutt used as her subject in her book published last May entitled: "World Safari."

## ROSE PARADE

If titles mean anything then Sierra Madre's float—"Good Things Come in Small Packages"—may make a strong bid for awards in the Tournament of Roses Parade New Year's Day in spite of being of smaller construction than in previous years. Representing a package done in white and purple chrysanthemums, its large bow of 14,000 orchids flown from Hawaii should add the finishing touch to make it "a thing of beauty and joy forever" in the memories of all who see it.

The float, which is eight feet wide, almost 12 feet long, and 6 feet high, will be decorated this evening, also tomorrow afternoon and evening, to insure flower freshness. Because the job must be done efficiently to meet the entry's deadline Sierra Madreans are invited to volunteer their help in placing the flowers. The occasion is one that has long been a tradition here and all who join the crowd in the heart of the City Water Dept., 621 E. Sierra Madre Blvd., will find the atmosphere of flowers and refreshments one to remember.

All volunteers are asked to call Walter Goodwin, Custer 5-9561, to tell him they will be there. A group of women from the Firemen's Auxiliary, and members of the Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts, are among those who have pledged their assistance.

Members of the Sierra Madre

Exchange Club already have given many evenings in helping construct the framework, besides donating materials for the chassis. The work has been coordinated by the club's Float Committee, with Bob Thomas as chairman.

Through the efforts of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Hawkins, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Goodwin the float is not expensive. Florist William Harris secured the mums at a low price and Murray Owen made similar arrangements to secure the orchids.

One of the float's feature attractions will not require decorating. Her name is Barbara Duffy, queen of the Wistaria Vine Festival last spring, and the simple requirements of her attire call for nothing more than a white bathing suit—and perhaps a fur piece. She is hoping the New Year will begin with a warm, sunny day.

## William Warfield On Concert Series Program Jan. 4

William Warfield, baritone, will appear as the next artist on the Community Concert series in the Monrovia-Duarte High School auditorium Tuesday night, Jan. 4.

Although Warfield made his New York debut as recently as 1950, in less than five years he has sung nearly 300 concerts in the Americas, Europe and Australia and he has appeared repeatedly as guest soloist with major symphony orchestras and oratorio societies and has been featured in many leading American festivals.

Olin Downes wrote in the New York TIMES, following the recent solo appearance with the Philadelphia Orchestra in Carnegie Hall, "These songs require more than an accomplished vocalist. They demand a great artist. Warfield's fine control of tone and diction, the simplicity and nobility of this performance honored alike the interpreter and composer . . . a memorable interpretation."

## Christmas Tree Candles Start Fire

Steve Miller, 10-year-old son of Dr. and Mrs. J. Stadden Miller, followed a fire truck Tuesday evening and was surprised to discover that it led to his home at 286 E. Alegria where several bushes in the front yard were ablaze.

The fire had started during a brief absence of Dr. and Mrs. Miller when their 9-year-old daughter, Barbara, lighted the candles on several miniature Christmas trees above the piano. Rene Miller, 12, called the fire department, then carried several bits of flaming cotton to the yard.

Damage to the piano was estimated at \$200.

## Trucks—Register Now!

The Department of Motor Vehicles today reminded owners of commercial vehicles subject to weight fees who wish to register their vehicles for 1955 on the quarterly basis permitted by law for this class only, that they will lose the option if they do not register by the close of business on Wednesday, Jan. 5, 1955.

## Councilmen Given 'Thank-You' Vote

Rare Occasion Highlighted By 21-foot Scroll Of Thanks

### Zoning Study Session Next Wed., City Hall

Another in the series of study meetings on the proposed new City Zoning Ordinance will be held at the City Hall on Wednesday, Jan. 5 at 7:30 p.m. Members of the City Council and the Planning Commission will meet jointly. All persons interested are invited to attend.

## Sierra Madre Business Good C. of C. Reports

Christmas sales in Sierra Madre established a near high record, according to a report released this week by the Chamber of Commerce.

Anthony Cavalli, secretary-manager of the Chamber, said that in making the survey, merchants were enthusiastic about the season's business.

"Apparently our Shop at Home Program is being better understood by our citizens and is now beginning to take hold," Mr. Cavalli said.

Both the public and the merchants agreed that this year's downtown decorations were far more interesting than any in recent years. Hundreds of persons visited the Scene of the Nativity in the Square during both day and evening hours.

Santa Claus was present in the downtown section of town the last two weeks of the Christmas season bringing gifts to all of the children who visited him.

"All in all it was a busy and prosperous Christmas and the coming year bids fair to establish a fine record," Al Morgan, new president of the Chamber of Commerce said this week.

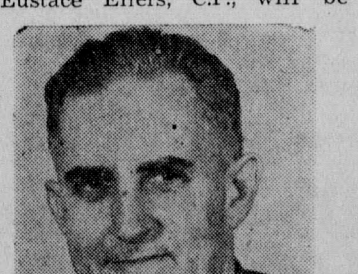
## LIBRARY BOARD MEETING JAN. 4

The January meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Sierra Madre Library will be held at the home of the secretary, Miss Martha Pritchard, 121 E. Alegria Avenue, Tuesday evening, Jan. 4 at 8 o'clock. Like all meetings of Municipal Boards the public is admitted freely except when business concerning personnel is on the agenda.

THE WEATHER		
	High	Low
Dec. 21.....	80	45
22.....	77	42
23.....	73	42
24.....	76	39
25.....	57	36
26.....	58	37
27.....	60	34
28.....	57	30
Rainfall		
Season to date.....	3.35"	
Last year this time.....	2.36"	

## Ordination To Priesthood To Be Celebrated At Monastery

The silver jubilee of ordination to the priesthood of Father Eustace Eilers, C.P., will be



FATHER EUSTACE EILERS conducted with a Solemn Mass of Thanksgiving in the Pas-

City Council, a group of brave men that has withstood the wrath of many an individual complaint, took a bow Tuesday night in accepting a 21-foot scroll signed by more than 1400 Sierra Madreans who were saying, in effect: "Thanks a million!"

In the meeting that was notable for its high content of good cheer and Yuletide flavor, Mayor Charles E. Louk said that the scroll of public thanks, presented by Col. Walter Thurber, was especially unique considering that the signatures totaled more than the votes received by any one councilman in the municipal election.

Besides the mayor, the lengthy scroll names Charles H. James, Harold F. Roberts, Lorne B. Pratt, and David S. Wood as the people's representatives who have served Sierra Madre so faithfully without one cent of compensation.

The message of the scroll ends: "It takes a particular type of patriotism to serve this community in the capacity for which you have volunteered. The responsibilities are great, the demands upon your own time are inescapable, and the value of your work can not be expressed in words—certainly not in dollars and cents. It seems to us that the least we can say or do is:

"Many, thanks and God bless you!"

T. Guy Cornyn, city attorney with many years of municipal experience, agreed that this present council is as hard working and conscientious as any he has ever known.

Council members joined the Mayor in their expressions of gratitude. Councilman Roberts said he was not completely satisfied with his own work, but would keep on doing his best. Complacency, he said, was no part of his philosophy. If he had a dog that was one hundred per cent satisfied he would present the canine with a few fleas.

The scroll of thanks represented three weeks of preparation. Those who helped obtain the signatures were David Allen, past president of Kiwanis, Mrs. Gifford Eastwood who, with her husband, is president of PTA, Mrs. Edward Halperin, president of the Woman's Club, William Bowers, new warden of the Masonic Lodge, and Lawrence McGinnis, president of the Lion's Club.

Following the presentation and the complimentary remarks, the evening's agenda forced the council to move from an atmosphere of praise to predicament. In the interest of the city it was necessary to deny one applicant a zone variance to utilize five feet of land for income purposes.

As pointed out by Mayor Louk, it was a difficult decision and one that could be made only by a council whose individual members were conscientious and sincere.

## Ordination To Priesthood To Be Celebrated At Monastery

The silver jubilee of ordination to the priesthood of Father Eustace Eilers, C.P., will be

celebrated with a Solemn Mass of Thanksgiving in the Passionist Monastery Chapel Sunday beginning at 12:15 p.m.

The St. Rita parish choir will sing the Mass with Miss Marjorie Bradley of Sierra Madre at the organ. The soloist will be Mrs. Marie Selegue of Glendale. The Mass will be followed by a reception in the Mater Dolorosa Retreat House from 1:30 to 3 p.m.

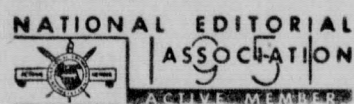
Fr. Eustace, who now is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Eilers in Los Angeles, is a native of Louisville, Ky. He joined the Passionist Order in Cincinnati Ohio, in 1920 and took his vows two years later. Ordained to the priesthood by Bishop Thomas Drumm in Des Moines, Iowa, in 1929, he has served throughout the United States in parish, mission, school, and retreat work.

In 1939 and again in 1951 Fr. Eustace served as Retreat Master of the Passionist Laymen's Retreats at the monastery here. From 1945 to 1947 he was engaged in parish work at St. Rita's Church and in 1947 he became the pastor and religious superior of Holy Family Negro Mission in Ensley, Alabama, where now he is stationed.



## SIERRA MADRE NEWS

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ernment in a democracy was  
not meant to harass citizens to  
keep them from doing ordinary  
things."

## DRIVERS' LICENSES

A grand total of 6,211,444  
drivers' licenses were outstanding  
in California as of Septem-  
ber 30, 1954, according to the  
National Automobile Club.

## Lee Shippey asks What Do You Think?

Editors' Note: The opinions  
expressed in Mr. Shippey's col-  
umn are not necessarily those  
of the editors and publishers  
of the NEWS. If you disagree  
with Mr. Shippey, who asks,  
"What Do You Think?", please  
address your letters to this pa-  
per or to Mr. Shippey. It is the  
intention of THE NEWS to stim-  
ulate provocative thought and  
what YOU think is an impor-  
tant part of our program in  
presenting both sides to public  
questions of the day. Naturally,  
we cannot use letters which are  
abusive or unsigned. We not  
only invite, but encourage you  
to use our "Letters to the Edi-  
tor" column.

Every passing year makes  
me glad I live in Sierra Madre  
instead of in some other town,  
in California instead of in  
some other state and in the  
United States instead of in  
some other country. We who  
have those privileges are apt  
to accept them without appre-

ciating them, and find fault  
with a lot of things of lesser  
importance. A friend who visit-  
ed "back East" returned with  
this conclusion: Persons born  
in California, who have never  
lived elsewhere, cannot fully  
appreciate California. If they  
had to endure the heat, cold,  
tomatoes, hurricanes, ice, snow,  
coal dust, chiggers and other  
things common to other parts  
of our land, and then came out  
here, they would think they  
had discovered Paradise, yet we  
who enjoy this climate and its  
ways all the time continually  
fret and fume at weather and  
conditions people in other areas  
would brag about.

A good New Year's resolve  
for anyone would be this: Ap-  
preciate what you have—your  
own family, your own friends,  
your own job, your own town  
and so on. If the family, the  
town or one tiny corner of the  
world isn't a little happier or  
better because you live in it,  
you are a failure, no matter

## Keeping Count Of American People Reveals Interesting Facts

Robert W. Burgess,

Director, Bureau of the Census,  
(Guest Columnist for Repre-  
sentative Edgar W. Hiestand)

This brief statement is in-  
tended to provide an illuminat-  
ing glimpse of the scope of the  
Census Bureau's operations and  
to suggest the possibility that  
some readers may find infor-  
mation in Census publications  
that will be more interesting  
than they had realized.

The U. S. population is about  
162.5 million.

The average life span of  
Americans today is about 67  
years compared with a little  
over 50 years in 1910.

At mid-year, about 62.0 mil-  
lion had jobs or were self-em-  
ployed.

Nearly 33.0 million were en-  
rolled in schools during the  
last school year.

The average married man is  
43.2 years old, nearly four years  
older than the average married  
woman, whose age is 39.5  
years.

The output of American fac-  
tories, in terms of value added  
by manufacture, exceeds \$108.0  
billion annually.

Retail sales now total nearly  
\$165.0 billion a year.

These statistical tidbits are  
only a few of the great mass  
of summarized facts ground out  
by long banks of tabulating  
machines in the world's largest  
"fact factory"—the Bureau of

the Census, U. S. Department  
of Commerce. A great many  
people think of the census as  
something that happens only  
once in 10 years. Only a rela-  
tively few are fully aware that  
the decennial population Cen-  
sus, although of great impor-  
tance and interest, is only one  
of the activities of the Census  
Bureau. At least indirectly,  
some phase of census activities  
or some item of census infor-  
mation touches the life of each  
American every day.

In its capacity as the Na-  
tion's principal fact finder, the  
Census Bureau conducts many  
censuses and surveys. Once  
during every 10-year period, a  
complete canvass of house-  
holds, the initial step in the  
Censuses of Population and  
Housing, obtains information  
about each person and each  
dwelling unit. This infor-  
mation is summarized in separate  
booklets for each State and in  
big volumes for the United  
States as a whole. There are  
complete canvasses of farms at  
5-year intervals in connection  
with the Census of Agriculture,  
and complete canvasses of in-  
dustry and trade for the Cen-  
suses of Business, Manufac-  
tures and Mineral Industries.

In addition, census law pro-  
vides for 5-year censuses of State  
and local governmental units  
and of transportation, and cen-  
suses at less frequent intervals  
in some other fields of activity.

In addition to the major cen-  
suses, the Census Bureau con-  
ducts monthly, quarterly and  
annual surveys covering par-  
ticular subjects treated in ma-  
jor censuses, to measure inter-  
censal trends and to provide  
periodic estimates of employ-  
ment and unemployment, re-  
tail and wholesale sales, out-  
put of selected classes of man-  
ufactured products, school en-  
rollment, family incomes, and  
other items of information.

## Vignettes

by  
Virginia Pittinger

It has made us very sad to  
read of the violent anti-Amer-  
ican demonstration in Athens,  
Salonica and Nicosia on Cyp-  
rus. At first we thought that  
they were only exaggerated re-  
ports of the activities of a few  
scattered hot heads, compar-  
able to the reports that went  
out of Spain when we were  
there last year. In the case of  
Spain the demonstrations so  
widely publicized consisted of  
nothing more in each large city  
than a handful of students who  
laughed and joked with the  
authorities in front of the Brit-  
ish Embassy while they car-  
ried banners demanding the  
return of Gibraltar to the Span-  
ish government.

The Spanish people on the  
whole knew little about Gibr-  
altar and cared less. On the  
Rock itself, the Spanish-British  
citizens were more than con-  
tent to keep matters as they  
were. As one taxi driver of  
Spanish ancestry said to us in  
softly accented English, "Let  
them try to take the Rock.  
We'll give them what for!"

But apparently the question  
of Cyprus is another, thornier  
matter and the Greek demon-  
strations spring from deeper,  
more reasonable causes. For,  
through centuries of Venetian,  
Turkish and now British rule,  
four-fifths of the Cypriots have  
managed to remain passion-  
ately Greek in speech, in  
thought and in religion. Thus,  
ethically, the majority of the  
population of Cyprus is tied to  
Greece.

However, should England's  
hold on the island weaken, the  
remaining Turkish minority  
will base their claim for union  
with Turkey on the fact that  
Cyprus is only 40 miles from

the Turkish mainland and has  
been under Turkish domination  
more recently than it has  
Greek.

In any case, since England  
has quit her Suez Canal base  
and made Cyprus the center of  
her eastern Mediterranean de-  
fense operations, there is little  
likelihood that she will read-  
ily withdraw.

There is no doubt but that  
the leaders of the enosis move-  
ment, notably the Greek Ortho-  
dox Church in Cyprus, are  
making political hay. Never  
has the world's political cli-  
mate been more agreeable to-  
ward encouraging the inde-  
pendence and self-determina-  
tion of peoples. And these are  
things the Greeks understand  
and believe in. They are the  
things the Greeks respected us  
for fostering and preserving.  
Greek friendship for America  
was based not so much on  
what we gave of food and  
money and clothing as on a  
mutual devotion to freedom  
and individual rights.

Now they feel betrayed be-  
cause we have denied these  
things to make a deal with  
England. In their hurt and dis-  
appointment they stone our  
embassies and carry ugly ban-  
ners through their streets.

Friendship such as the  
Greeks felt for America was  
not lightly given and must not  
be lightly lost. It has been  
momentarily withdrawn be-  
cause we ourselves have, for  
the sake of expediency, aban-  
doned our stand against colo-  
nialism and, before the world  
have voted against the United  
Nations principle of self-deter-  
mination for all people.

In the light of international  
politics perhaps this looked  
like a wise thing. But the light  
of politics of any kind is at  
best a weak and wavering  
flicker. Perhaps another look  
in the bright white light of  
principle would dispel the sha-  
dows and make clear a path of  
action we could take with hon-  
esty and self-respect.

# BIG YEAR-END SALE at SAFEWAY

**MARGARINE** COLDBROOK 1-lb. 17¢  
DALEWOOD Margarine, 1-lb. ctn., 19¢



**Typical Safeway Values**  
Apple Butter 28-oz. 29¢  
Tomato Soup 10 1/2-oz. 32¢  
Tea in Bags 48-bag 49¢  
Converted Rice 14-oz. 25¢  
Carnation Milk 14-oz. 13¢  
Nonfat Dry Milk 3-lb. 99¢  
Swedish Milk 12-oz. 29¢  
Dessert Topping 6-oz. 47¢  
Cinch Cake Mix 17-oz. 33¢  
Devil's Food, Fudge, White, Golden.  
Hydrox Cookies 25¢  
Tea Timer Crackers 29¢  
Amherst Cheese Food 69¢  
Danish Butter 1-lb. 69¢  
Montrose Butter 1-lb. 69¢  
Parade Detergent 19-oz. box 29¢

## Ringing out '54 with BIG SAVINGS!

Can't think of a nicer way to say goodbye to 1954 and hello to 1955! It's a store-wide, wind-up sale... outstanding values in every section. Come in today... come in often. Shop for good eating now, stock up for good eating next year. And make a New Year's resolution to save more all next year... at your Safeway!

**TOMATO JUICE** 46-oz. 23¢  
Libby or Sunny Dawn. (2 18-oz. cans, 21¢.)

**PORK & BEANS** 30-oz. 21¢  
Van Camp's. (2 16-oz. cans, 25¢. 21-oz. can, 16¢.)

**SWISS CHEESE** lb. 53¢  
Pre-cut, cello wrapped.

**SCOT TISSUE** 2 rolls 21¢  
Toilet Paper. New! Finer!

**CHUNK TUNA** 6-oz. 25¢  
Torpedo brand. Light meat fish.

**BEVERAGES** 32-oz. 15¢  
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Pennant Coffee 1-lb. 89¢  
Instant Coffee 2-oz. jar 59¢

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**CHUCK ROAST** SEVEN BONE or BLADE CUT lb. 39¢  
Shoulder of USDA CHOICE BEEF. (Round Bone Roast, lb., 45¢.)

**RIB ROAST** Standing cut, 7" long, from first five ribs of USDA CHOICE BEEF. lb. 73¢

**WILSON'S CANNED HAM** Tender Made 6-lb. can 5.49

**HEN TURKEYS** All Sizes. Popular Brands. Gov't Grade A, Eviscerated. lb. 49¢

**TOM TURKEYS** All Sizes. Popular Brands. Gov't Grade A, Eviscerated. lb. 39¢

**BOILING BEEF** Plate meat from USDA CHOICE Beef. lb. 9¢

**BEEF SHORT RIBS** To Braise or Bake. lb. 15¢

**Link Sausage** Swifts Brand 8-oz. 49¢  
**Breaded Shrimp** Capt.'s 10-oz. 49¢

**Corned Beef** Boneless Brisket lb. 49¢  
**Ground Beef** Visking Pack lb. 39¢

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**CATSUP** Del Monte brand. 28-oz. can 29¢

**TOMATOES** Gardenside Golden Corn 17-oz. can 23¢

**MAYONNAISE** Highway, Cream Style. 10-oz. jar 59¢

**LUNCH BOX** Sandwich Spread. Pint jar, 35¢.

**SLEEPY HOLLOW** Table Syrup. 12-oz. bottle, 25¢.

**PEANUT BUTTER** Beverly, chunk or creamy. 12-oz., 33¢.

**GLOBE "A1" MACARONI** Elbow 8-oz. 13¢ 16-oz. 21¢

**DOG FOOD** CALO 2 15 1/2-oz. cans 25¢ NIP 'N' TUCK 3 15 1/2-oz. cans 25¢

**TIDE DETERGENT** "Tide's in, dirt's out." 19-oz. pkg. 29¢ Plus Tax

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**FRESH CARROTS** Clean, Fresh. lb. 7¢

**POTATOES** WHITE ROSE Packed in paper bag. 10 lbs. 39¢

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## LEGAL NOTICE

NO. 375  
NOTICE  
INVITING SEALED BIDS

Sealed proposals will be re-  
ceived at the office of the City  
Clerk, City Hall, 55 West Sierra  
Madre Blvd., City of Sierra Ma-  
dre, California until 10:00 A.M.  
on January 10, 1955, at which  
time they will be opened and  
read for performing work in the  
matter of the Assessment Dis-  
trict No. 3 in the City of Sierra  
Madre and including Ramona  
Avenue, Fairview Avenue, Carter  
Avenue and Michillinda Blvd.;  
and these proposals will be pre-  
sented and publicly read before  
the City Council at its regular  
meeting on Tuesday, January  
11th, 1955 in the Council Cham-  
bers of the City Hall, at the ad-  
dress above stated.

Pursuant to the provisions of  
"Improvement Act of 1911" and  
to Resolution No. 1336 ordering  
the work of the City Council of  
the City of Sierra Madre, County  
of Los Angeles, State of Califor-  
nia, directing this Notice, said  
City Council hereby invites sealed  
bids and proposals for doing  
the work and improvement de-  
scribed in Resolution of Inten-  
tion No. 1324 of the City Coun-  
cil of the City of Sierra Madre,  
County of Los Angeles, State of  
California, adopted September  
28, 1954, and the Resolution of  
Intention No. 1324 is hereby re-  
ferred to for a description of said  
work and improvement, the  
grades to which it is to be done,  
a description of the district to  
be assessed to pay the costs and  
expenses thereof, the bonds to  
be issued, and for all further  
particulars contained in said  
Resolution of Intention No. 1324.  
Reference is hereby further made  
to the plans and specifications,  
special provisions, proposal, and  
detailed drawings for said work  
on file in the office of the City  
Clerk of said City, in accordance  
with which said work shall be  
done.

Notice is further given that  
the City Council of the City of  
Sierra Madre, County of Los An-  
geles, State of California, has  
heretofore established a prevail-  
ing rate and scale of wages in  
accordance with law, which rate  
and scale is as follows, to-wit:  
SCHEDULE OF PER DIEM  
WAGE RATES

CLASSIFICATION	WAGE SCALE PER HOUR
Carpenter	2.775
Cement Mason	2.70
Laborer	2.075
Flagman	2.075
Guinea Chaser	2.155
Driver of Dump Truck of less than 4 yds.	2.18
Driver of Dump Truck of 4 yds. but less than 8 yds.	2.21
Motor Patrol Operator	2.82
Operator of pneumatic tools	2.282
Skip Loader Operator	2.52
Asphalt Spreading Operator	2.68
Asphalt Raker and Ironer	2.285
Fine Grader	2.175
Watchman	1.97
Roller Operator	2.61
Tractor Operator	2.68
Universal equipment operator	2.91
Water Truck Driver under 2500 gal.	2.24
Water Truck Driver 2500 gal. or more	2.36

No bid will be received unless it is made on a proposal form furnished by the City Clerk. All bids are to be compared on the basis of the City Engineer's estimate of the quantities of work to be done. No bid will be accepted from a contractor who has not been licensed in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 9, Division III of Business and Professions Code and all local ordinances which govern business licenses in the City of Sierra Madre.

The Contractor shall, in the performance of the work and

improvements conform to the  
Labor Code of the State of Cal-  
ifornia and other laws of the  
State of California applicable  
thereto, with the exception only  
of such variations as may be re-  
quired under the special statutes  
pursuant to which proceedings  
hereunder are taken and which  
have not been superseded by the  
provisions of the Labor Code.  
Preference to labor shall be given  
only in the manner provided  
by law. Veterans and resident  
local labor shall be given prefer-  
ence by the Contractor where-  
ever possible, if skill and work-  
ing ability permit without in-  
creasing the ultimate cost of the  
work and improvement to the  
City of Sierra Madre and its of-  
ficers.

All proposals or bids shall be  
accompanied by a check payable  
to said City of Sierra Madre and  
certified by a responsible bank  
for an amount which shall not  
be less than ten (10) per cent  
of the aggregate of the proposal  
or by a bond for said amount  
and so payable, signed by the  
bidder and two sureties, who  
shall justify, before any officer  
competent to administer an  
oath, in double the said amount  
and over and above all statutory  
exceptions, or by a corporate  
surety bond in said amount sat-  
isfactory to the City Engineer.

Plans may be seen, and plans,  
forms of proposal, special pro-  
visions, and specifications may  
be obtained at the office of the  
City Clerk, 55 W. Sierra Madre  
Blvd., Sierra Madre, California  
for a deposit of \$5.00, which  
amount will be returned upon  
return of the plans.

The City of Sierra Madre re-  
serves the right to reject any  
and all bids, or to retain all bids  
for a period of 30 days for ex-  
amination and comparison.

L. MARIE WARFEL,  
CITY CLERK  
Dated this 14th day of December,  
1954.  
Publish Dec. 30, 1954  
and Jan. 5, 1955.



We've said it before and we say  
it again... and again... and  
again. Happy New Year from  
everyone of us to everyone of  
you. May 1955 enter in a blaze  
of good cheer and bring you  
twelve months, jam-packed with  
happy days. May it go down in  
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## Sierra Madre Medical Staff Party Held At Home Of Donald McCormacks

Members of the staff of the Sierra Madre Medical Center met for their annual Christmas party last week in the home of Dr. and Mrs. Donald W. McCormack, 520 E. Laurel.

Following dinner there was an exchange of gifts around the Christmas tree. Among those in attendance were Dr. George W. Groth, Sr., Dr. George W. Groth, Jr., Mrs. Dorothy Jenkins, Rudolph R. Hartman, James E. Paschall, Dr. Maurice J. Murphy, Mrs. Lois Fish, Miss Vivian Thrig, Larry C. Lomax, Percy Adams, Miss Norma Dodson, Dr. Jack C. Gilbert, Mrs. Ethel Stone, Mrs. Ada Basting, Mrs. Joyce Meier, Mrs. Margaret Reed, Dr. Norman F. Johnson, Miss Catherine Ward, Miss Doris Jack, and Miss Gloria Morrison.

## Celeste Gourdeau To Wed R. L. French

Dr. and Mrs. A. E. Gourdeau, 511 Ramona, announced the engagement of their daughter, Celeste, to Robert L. French, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard L. French of Camarillo, Calif., at a Christmas dinner.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Ramona Convent and Mount St. Mary's College. Mr. French is enrolled in the College of Engineering at the University of California at Los Angeles. No date has been set for the wedding.

## Sierra Partners Have Holiday Party

Members of the Sierra Partners of the Church of Our Redeemer, Methodist, enjoyed their Christmas party in the home of their pastor, Rev. and Mrs. Raynor Smith. Mr. and Mrs. George Lobnow assisted at the affair.

Among those in attendance to enjoy the stringing of popcorn and cranberries as well as stuffing animals were Mr. and Mrs. Ove Jensen, Dr. and Mrs. George Frempter, Mr. and Mrs. George Swanson, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Fletcher, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Heller, and Mr. and Mrs. John McBride.

The next meeting for the group will be at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jensen the first Monday evening in February since the January meeting has been postponed. The program will be announced later.

## Rollo S. Pickford Jr. Entertain Parents

Mr. and Mrs. Rollo S. Pickford, Jr., 431 Grove Ave., are entertaining Mr. Pickford's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rollo S. Pickford, Sr., of Cedar Rapids, Iowa. While this is not the first trip to California for Mr. and Mrs. Pickford Sr., it will be the first time they have been here for the Rose Parade.

## ... Social and Club Activities ...

### Friendship Club To Meet Monday Jan. 3

Members of the Sierra Madre Community Friendship Club will meet Monday, Jan. 3, in the Park House at 2 p.m.

Mrs. Carrie Davidson, well known world traveler and artist of Pasadena, will show pictures of her 1953 tour which will include the Coronation. Part of Mrs. Davidson's lecture will be devoted to the Island of Bali and other Oriental countries.

Currently, Mrs. Davidson is the first vice-president of the Pasadena Chapter of the National Arts and Letters Society and some of her paintings are being shown at the Security First National Bank, Colorado and Lake. In September she will have a one man show of twenty-eight paintings in the Tuesday Afternoon Clubhouse, Glendale, and another showing in October and November in the Altadena Public Library.

Tea will be served after the program and all interested in attending are cordially invited to do so.

The scrapbook group of the Friendship Club, under the direction of Mrs. Etta Leguin, made thirty cloth books which were delivered to the Sister Kenny Polio Hospital in El Monte and the Salvation Army for Christmas distribution. These books were made in the home of Mrs. Leguin.

### FAMILY GATHERS AT WM. BOWERS HOME

An old fashioned Christmas was celebrated by the Wm. Bowers family of 686 Brookside Lane this year. Present Christmas Eve were Mrs. Bower's brothers and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. A. White and her sister and brother-in-law, and Mr. and Mrs. R. Williams of Long Beach and her brother, L. White of Norwell, Mass.

On Christmas Day the group was joined by the Bowers' son and daughter-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bowers of Whittier and Mr. and Mrs. G. Barwick and daughter, Susan.

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### Nolie Suman To Wed Charles W. Howard

Mr. and Mrs. Alwin Lawrence Suman, 390 Cypress Ct., have announced the engagement of their daughter, Nolie, to Charles Woodbury Howard, II, son of Mr. and Mrs. Woodbury Howard of Concord, N. H.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Anokaia School for Girls, and Castilleja School and is currently a junior at Wellesley College. She is spending the holidays with her fiancé's parents in their New Hampshire home.

Miss Suman is the granddaughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Emile Crepin of San Francisco and Arizona, and the late Mr. and Mrs. Harry Pratt Suman.

Mr. Howard is attending Bowdoin College where he is a member of Beta Theta Pi fraternity. He is the grandson of the late Gen. and Mrs. Charles Woodbury Howard of Concord and Mrs. Robert Graves of Hopkinton, N. H., and the late Dr. Graves.

No date has been set for the wedding.

### John Ruskin Chapter Elects New Officers

The monthly meeting of the John Ruskin Chapter, Daughters of the British Empire, was held in the home of the regent, Mrs. Milo S. Murray, 635 W. Grandview.

A report was given by the nominating committee and new officers were elected. Those heading the group for 1955 will be Mrs. Murray, regent; Mrs. Nellie C. Holloway, first vice-regent; Miss Jessie Boyd, second vice-regent; Mrs. Lillian M. Hume, treasurer; Mrs. Alice Sedgman, historian; Mrs. Joan Day, recording secretary; Mrs. Mary W. Pulling, corresponding secretary; and Mrs. Mary W. Pulling, press chairman. Following a discussion on ways and means, tentative plans were made for the annual English pancake breakfast and luncheon to be held Shrove Tuesday, Feb. 27. The local chapter is a philanthropic organization whose chief objective is to contribute to the maintenance of the British Home in Sierra Madre.

**CHARLES W. CLEARY, Lind-say, retiring franchise tax bd. member** — "Politically I've always been known as a progressive but I sort of resent changes to me personally."

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### MONARCH ROCK WOOL

### Hensley-Burlison Nuptials Aug. 12th

At a reception following the evening service last Sunday at the Church of the Nazarene, the engagement of Barbara Hensley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin J. Hensley of Pasadena, and Carlton Burlison, son of Rev. and Mrs. Orian G. Burlison, was announced and the wedding date set for Aug. 12, 1955.

Stanley Schilberg entertained the guests by reading Edgar A. Guest's poem on Friendship and Wilda Watson and Kathy Sharp lighted the Christmas candles.

Mrs. Burlison had written a song, "Christmas Tree Lane," which was sung by Geneva Cokerham. The happy news was revealed when Miss Hensley and Mr. Burlison, attired in charcoal gray and pink ensembles entered the room carrying a large cake with their names and date of wedding on it.

The bride-elect is a senior at Pasadena Nazarene Academy and Mr. Burlison is a junior at Pasadena Nazarene College.

### Holiday Visit For Gilchrist Family

Diane and Ricky Gilchrist, children of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Gilchrist, former Sierra Madreans now living in Medford, Ore., were the houseguests last weekend of Sharon and Buddy Gillette, children of Mr. and Mrs. Leo C. Gillette, 10 Rancho Rd. The Gilchrist family is visiting in our area for the holidays.

### Mike Bachwanskys Entertain Niece

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Bachwanskys, 255 N. Sunnyside, are entertaining Mr. Bachwanskys' niece, Dorothy Bachwanskys, who is on her first visit to California from her home in Windsor, Canada.

Before returning to her home, the visitor will attend the Rose Parade and visit various points of interest in Southern California.

### New Year's Party For Eastern Star

The Order of Eastern Star has slated a New Year's Eve Party to be held in the Masonic Temple at 8 p.m. All members, Masons, their families and friends are cordially invited to attend the festive event. Laura Williams and Margaret Sierts are in charge of the affair and have promised a wide variety of entertainment, prizes, and refreshments.

### CARD OF THANKS

The family of the late Walter E. Wells wish to thank all their many kind friends for their sympathy in their bereavement.

Mrs. Walter E. Wells  
Mrs. Russell Dumas

### ANNE AVON UNDERGOES SURGERY TODAY

Anne Avon, 636 W. Sierra Madre, underwent surgery this morning at the Sierra Madre Medical Center. She will be a patient at the Sierra Madre Hospital for the next two weeks.

## Boy Scout Notes

The members of the Mt. Wilson District of the Boy Scouts of America held their monthly meeting in the Park House on Monday evening, Dec. 20, and plans for a busy Scouting year were formulated. The events definitely scheduled for the near future are the winter camp at Camp San Antonio on Jan. 8 and 9, the Camporee in the Sierra Madre Villa Park on April 23rd and 24th, the Council Circus in the Rose Bowl on May 21st and a Scout-O-Rama on June 11th.

Several members of the Operating Committee and in Institutional Representatives were presented with the Scouter's Pin, which they proudly placed in their lapels.

Reports concerning activities in our District were presented by the Institutional Representatives and the Operating Committee Chairmen. The Canyon area had been assigned to the Scouting family as their part of the Community Chest Drive, and under the leadership of Newell Barrett, Finance Chairman, plans were made to complete this work before Jan. 1st.

Edward Cook, Advancement and Awards Chairman, announced the Court of Honor to be held on Jan. 3rd in the School Auditorium. Don Warfel, I. R. for St. Rita's Catholic

Church, was appointed a member of Cook's A & W Committee. Reg Barrett, Organization & Extension Chairman, announced that plans for seven new Scouting Units in our District were under way, and would probably be completed during 1955.

Other members present were Marcus Woodward, Chairman, Dan Parker, Vice-Chairman, Richard Hartley, District Scout Executive, Dr. Nathan Jacobs, Health & Safety Committee Chairman, Frank Wright, Camping & Activities Committee Chairman, J. Ray Bowman, Leadership Training Committee Chairman, Leon Jenkins, District Commissioner, William Newbery, Assistant District Commissioner, Lewis McClelland, I. R. for the Congregational Church, and Edward Oliver, Advisor for Post No. 378.

Coffee and doughnuts were served by Herm Ohs and members of Post No. 371 of the Congregational Church.

SIERRA MADRE NEWS—3  
Thursday, December 30, 1954

## Storkland

Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Nickloff, 499 Santa Anita Ct., are the parents of a daughter, Diane Gail, born Dec. 15 at Huntington Memorial Hospital and weighing 7 pounds 13 ounces. The maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. George Schwach of Los Angeles. The paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Charles Nickloff, also of Los Angeles.

A 6 pound 10 1/4 ounce son, Jeffrey, was born to Mr. and Mrs. John D. Straughan, 411 W. Sierra Madre, Dec. 19 at St. Luke Hospital. The maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Sharpe of Farmersburg, Ind. The paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Harold Straughan, 173 San Gabriel Ct.

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As the New Year bows in, let us look backward, for a moment, to our accomplishments in 1954. Let us dwell on the worthwhile things we have done... let us recall the friends we have made. Let us be thankful for all the blessings of the year past. Let us look forward to 1955... with the hopes high for its 365 tomorrows. Let us resolve to fulfill our dreams of achievement... to renew our faith in the future. Let us welcome the New Year with confidence.

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## Christmas Decoration Contest Prizes Awarded In Riviera And Upper Ranch

All upper Ranch and Riviera section residents should be very proud of their areas and the cooperation their neighbors showed in supporting the outside Christmas decoration contest sponsored by the Northeast Property Owners' Association.

The judges of the contest, Dr. Richard S. McComb, Pasadena School Superintendent, and Richard S. Hubbell, president of the Pasadena Junior Chamber of Commerce, met last week to tour the area and award prizes.

The winning zone was Pepperhill Drive and was headed by zone captain, Mrs. Dominic F. Giangregorio. Those residents receiving twelve pound turkeys, courtesy of the Shopping Bag, were Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Olson, Rev. and Mrs. D. H. Ostrander, Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Prescott, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Newton, Mr. and Mrs. James Wentz, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Olson, Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Knudson, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Burke, Mr. and Mrs. A. Cosenza, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Lamb, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Dunn, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Farmer, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Wardlaw, Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Hoffine, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Prudden, and Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Lawler.

The first prize in the religious category was given to Mr. and Mrs. Philip H. Benton, 1205 Daveric. The second was awarded to Mr. and Mrs. Frank P. Graham, 1100 Rexford, and

the third prize was won by Mr. and Mrs. Brooks Thomas, 1210 Tropical.

The most beautiful category was won by Mr. and Mrs. C. Don Hays, 1260 Coronet, with Mr. and Mrs. William M. Semple, 1240 Tropical, winning second place, and Mr. and Mrs. George W. Krotz, 1195 Rexford, third place. Honorable mention prizes were awarded to Mr. and Mrs. Edgar J. Williamson, 1330 Valley View, and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur B. Shipman, 995 Pepperhill.

The Henry S. Myers, Jr., 3695 Denair, placed first in the fantasy category with Mr. and Mrs. Robert S. Rosenast, 1030 Medford, in second place, and Mr. and Mrs. Donald H. Wilumson, 1165 Hastings Ranch, in third place. Honorable mention prizes were awarded to Mr. and Mrs. Wendell J. Booth, 3755 Denair, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Welliver, 975 Crestview, and Mr. and Mrs. Ross H. Long, 1085 Coronet.

A great part of the success of the contest is due the merchants who so generously donated more than \$325 in prizes for the event. Those business men and businesses who deserve a great round of applause are the Shopping Bag, Bank of Sierra Madre, Arnold's Hardware, Sierra Madre Paint and Wallpaper, Royal Drugs, William M. Lawson, realtor, Virginia Sayles, Hartman's Pharmacy, Harold's Shoe Store, Reese Variety Store, McKibben Furniture Store, Happy's Liquor

# Hastings Ranch News

LOWER HASTINGS: LUCIE LUBISICH, Custer 5-1921

UPPER HASTINGS: MARGE THOMAS, Custer 5-2951

Store, Sierra Madre Hardware, Osti Nursery, Rasmussen Appliance Store, Ralph's Shoe Store, Sierra Madre Toy Shop, and Helms Bakery.

Those working on the committee, headed by Col. Roy L. Schuyler, chairman, were Russell D. Kraus, Ralph A. Johnston, Mrs. Al L. Pruitt, Don Hays, Bill Lawson, George Krotz, Paul Johnson, Don Munro, Abe Becker, John Redmond, Jack Goodson, Gene Rode, Mr. and Mrs. Brooks Thomas, and Gib Olsen.

Always social minded, Hastings Ranch residents have had a wonderful merry Christmas season, with homes carefully and ingeniously decorated and doors thrown wide for open houses, from formal to very informal affairs.

Ninety guests swarmed through the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Caldecott, 3575 Shadown Grove during a 5 to 8 p.m. open house Dec. 18, and they exclaimed delightedly over the delectable food and beautiful decorations.

Fresh green pine boughs, wrought iron reindeer, holding white candles and Santa with his sleigh topped the mantel. The buffet table in the dining room, which groaned under delicacies such as sliced turkey, dainty pastries and marinated mushrooms was centered with an arrangement of red candles and red and silver balls spilling from a silver shell.

Another table in the den was covered with a green net cloth, centered with fresh fruit and lighted by green tapers, carrying out the brown and green colors of the room.

Among guests from the ranch were Messrs. and Mmes. Harry Masser, Jr., Robert Meserve, Richard Beattie, Guy Dougherty, Russ Pooler, Ray Stiff, Draper Jennings, John Osborn, Russ Stubbs, John Elker, Richard Hubbell, E. J. Caldecott and Robert Ogle.

### KEN SMITH PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Smith entertained Sunday afternoon, Dec. 19. Scores called to partake of holiday delicacies and eggnog. Coming in for its share of applause was a beautifully decorated Christmas tree made of various sized cookies. The Smiths live at 3835 Greenhill.

## Massers Are Hosts at Alphi Chi Open House

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Masser, 3890 Canfield, were hosts for the annual Christmas open house of the San Gabriel Valley Junior Alumni of Alpha Chi Omega.

Approximately 60 guests called during the evening, beginning at 8:30. A theme of turquoise and gold ornaments was used in the living room decorations, and guests served themselves from a table in the keeping room which carried out a Swedish Christmas motif. Among Ranch residents in attendance were Mr. and Mrs. William Caldecott and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Meserve.

## Seventh Birthday For Chip Shiner

Chip Shiner, son of Mr. and Mrs. William K. Shiner, 1200 Tropical, recently celebrated his seventh birthday at an afternoon party.

Among those arriving to enjoy the games and refreshments were Gail Templar, David Johnson, Bill Semple, Jack Gates, Eugene Devine, Greg Schluter, Barbara Beringer, Caryn Edmunds, Susan Seiler, Kathy Wilson, Bobby Carley, Michael Cline, David Ego, Mark Frandsen and Bill Walton.

## Warren H. Clines Entertain Friends

Mr. and Mrs. Warren H. Cline, 1215 Hastings Ranch, have planned a buffet supper for New Year's Eve.

Those planning to attend the gay occasion are Mr. and Mrs. Gordon S. Templar, Mr. and Mrs. William K. Shiner, Mr. and Mrs. Paul F. Kelley, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald R. Fahey, Mr. and Mrs. Fred C. Penton, Mr. and Mrs. Jean M. Jenkins, Mr. and Mrs. William E. Bradford, and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth L. Stiles.

## William Taylors Have New Year's Eve Party

Making merry New Year's Eve at the William Taylors, 3625 Fairmeade, will be a group of old friends. A mid-night buffet is planned.

Present to see the old year out will be Messrs. and Mmes. Don Hoover, Al Benton, Austin Daynes, Ken Daynes, Al Sherman, Don Carmel and Hal Rothenborg.

## Guy R. Knudsons Plan Dinner Party

The New Year will be welcomed in at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Guy R. Knudson, 975 Pepperhill, with a mid-night buffet supper.

Among those in attendance will be Mr. and Mrs. Dominie F. Giangregorio, Mr. and Mrs. Ross E. Burke, Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Kendall, Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur B. Shipman, Mr. and Mrs. John Daniels, Mr. and Mrs. Gib F. Olson, Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Farmer, Mr. and Mrs. Harlan A. Dunn, Mr. and Mrs. William Wicks, and Mr. and Mrs. James Wentz.

Also, Mr. and Mrs. John R. Wardlaw, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Newton, Mr. and Mrs. Curt Gladney, Mr. and Mrs. Fred O. Hoffine, Mr. and Mrs. Al Katch, Mr. and Mrs. Richard A. Cosenza, Mr. and Mrs. Al W. Olson, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Beckstrom, and Mr. and Mrs. Keith Broaders.

## Hastings Nursery Gets Praise From State

The State Department of Social Welfare has given Hastings Ranch Nursery school a double pat on the back.

In renewing the school's license for the year, investigators congratulated parents of the community in organization of the school, and at the same time asked permission to send students in nursery school training at UCLA at Hastings Ranch to observe procedures. In a letter to Mrs. Edsel Curry, president of the school, the department said, "We wish to congratulate the parents of this community for their achievement in organizing the Trinity Presbyterian church and the Pasadena Public School System into support for this worthwhile project. In no small measure, its success may also be attributed to the director, Mrs. Lucille Teasdale, who appears to be an able administrator as well as a professionally trained nursery school teacher.

"Our observations were all favorable. The staff apparently is well qualified, mother assistants competent and properly supervised. Equipment, much of which represents hours of cooperative effort on the part of the fathers, is conducive to variety of experience for the children."

The school is housed in the Sunday school room of the Trinity church. The salaries of the director and three teachers are paid by tuition and equipment is bought through benefit community social functions. Pasadena public schools have helped by providing a series of monthly lectures for parents of the school which are open to the public.

The school is running at its 72 capacity at present and there is a waiting list of small pupils in some age groups. However, there may be some openings after the first of the year. Interested parents may contact the enrollment director at Custer 5-1921.

## Miss Betty Cooper Is Bride Of Lt. Gardner

Miss Elizabeth Ann Cooper, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Joseph Cooper, 455 Michillinda, became the bride of Lt. Andrew Gardner at 1 p.m. Monday in the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary church. Father Timothy Crean performed the ceremony before immediate families of the couple.

The bride was chic in a dressmaker suit of black and rose beige, with hat and gloves of beige and a corsage of white orchids. Miss Joan Cooper was her sister's maid of honor and Lt. Jay Simons was best man. Lieutenant Gardner is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Noel V. Gardner of San Bernardino.

A dinner for families of the bride and groom was held after the ceremony. They are honeymooning in Palm Springs and Las Vegas, and will make their home in San Francisco, where Lieutenant Gardner is stationed.

The new Mrs. Gardner was graduated from Immaculate Heart College and has been a teacher. The bridegroom attended San Bernardino Valley College before entering the Army.

### LEGAL NOTICE

NO. 385

### NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING BEFORE THE PLANNING COMMISSION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Walter Building Co. has filed with the Planning Commission of the City of Sierra Madre, an application for a variance from the provisions of Ordinance No. 391, for a 15-foot front setback on Lots Nos. 8 and 15, Tract No. 19978.

That pursuant to the provisions of Ordinance No. 391, of the City of Sierra Madre, as amended, Thursday, January 13, 1955 at the hour of 8:00 o'clock P.M. in the Council Chambers in the City Hall of Sierra Madre has been fixed as the time and place for holding public hearing upon said application.

The application for variance is based upon the grounds that there are special circumstances attached to said property which generally do not apply to other properties in the same district and vicinity, that the granting of a variance as aforesaid will not result in a material damage or prejudice to other property nor be detrimental to the public welfare or injurious to persons in the vicinity thereof.

Dated: December 27, 1954  
BY ORDER OF THE PLANNING COMMISSION  
Beatrice Thompson,  
Secretary.

Pub. Dec. 30, 1954.  
P. O. 385.

## Holiday Party For Joseph Tampicos

The Joseph Tampicos, 1115 Riviera, will entertain at a buffet supper New Year's Eve.

Those arriving for the fun and festivities will be Mr. and Mrs. Chet Ballard, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Price, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Skaggs, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Coffman, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Vance, Mr. and Mrs. Carr Wilson, Dr. and Mrs. V. H. Stevens, Mr. and Mrs. James Jenkins, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Grahn, and Mr. and Mrs. Aldon Acker.

Also, Mr. and Mrs. William McFadden, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Crisp, Mr. and Mrs. John Asher, Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Morison, and Mr. and Mrs. Mel Tucker.

### CAPISTRANO WEEKEND

Mr. and Mrs. Peter H. Hurtig, 3545 Landfair, will join two other couples for a three day New Year's holiday at San Juan Capistrano.

## Ranchettes

Mr. and Mrs. Alan R. Stearns, 1235 Daveric, are the parents of a son, Ralph Alan, born Dec. 7 at Huntington Memorial Hospital and weighing 9 pounds 2 ounces. The paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Albert C. Stearns of Glendale. The Stearns have a daughter, Laura Jeanne 3.

A 7 pound 2 ounce daughter, Anne Agnes, was born to Mr. and Mrs. John R. Post, 1395 Rexford, Dec. 13 at Huntington Memorial Hospital. The maternal grandmother is Mrs. Agnes Le Cocq of Everett, Wash. The paternal grandmother is Mrs. Marion Post of Berkeley.

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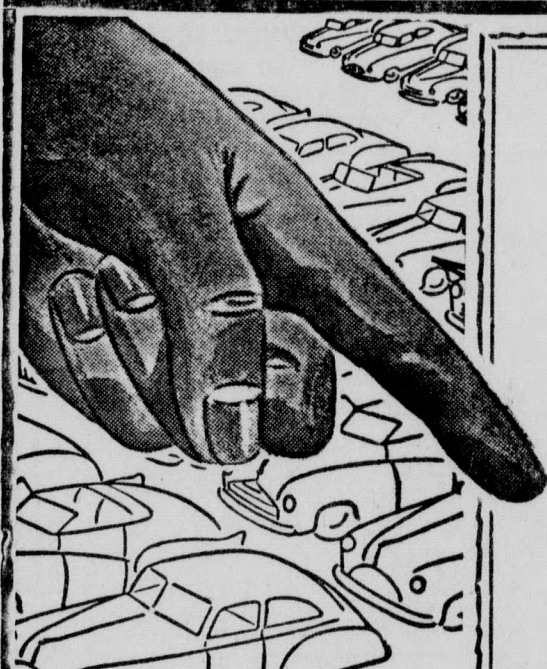
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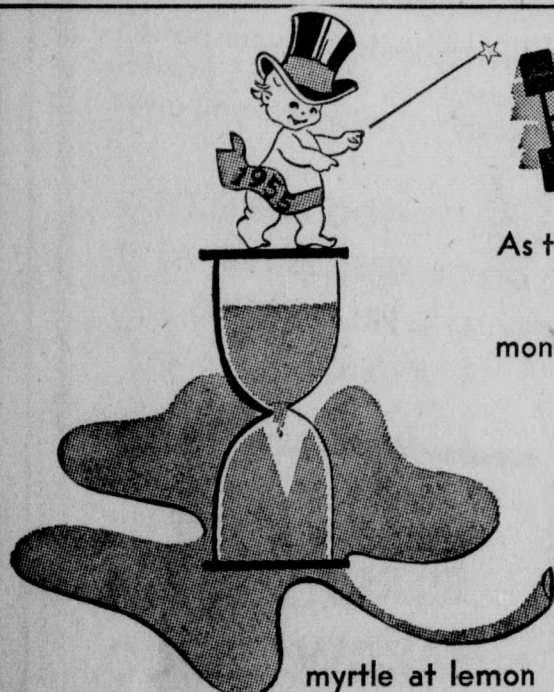
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## "Enriched By Christ" Theme Of Faith Lutheran Pastor Sunday

Speaking on the theme, "Enriched by Christ", last Sunday morning the Rev. A. Hesse, Pastor of Faith Lutheran Church in Hastings Ranch, stated:

"There is hardly a time when we, the people of America, feel as poor as we regard ourselves on the day after Christmas. More money is spent annually in preparation for the celebration of any other holiday of the year. The cause is our custom and practice of giving gifts at Christmas.

"Has Christmas made us poor?" the clergyman asked. It is because many measure wealth only in terms of money that they feel poor today. When, however, we measure it in terms of joys and spiritual values, especially in terms of the Heavenly Father's Christmas gift of His Son, we will find that Christmas has enriched us.

"The Bethlehem shepherds, the honored Mary, the aged Simeon, the Magi, all felt enriched by the first Christmas. And, about 65 years later, writing to the Christians in Corinth, the Apostle Paul stated: 'I thank God that in everything you are enriched by Jesus Christ.'"

The sermon for the day was based on the words: "Ye know the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, that though He was rich, yet for your sakes He became poor, so that by His poverty you might become rich." Rev. Hesse enlarged upon "the tow striking parallels suggested here: the eternal riches of Christ and our poverty, and the poverty of Christ and our riches."

Hq said: "When the eternal

Son of God, who existed before Creation, was conceived by the Holy Ghost and born of the Virgin Mary. He laid aside the full use of His divine power and majesty in order to act as mankind's substitute in keeping the divine law and in suffering the punishment of our guilt on Calvary's cross. Thereby He earned for us the forgiveness of all sin, the privilege of sonship by adoption through faith, the ability to live the Christian life, and the gift of eternal life. His manger and swaddling clothes stand before the church and the world as a constant reminder that we need things for the soul and life as much as for the body and house. We need these riches which the Savior earned through His poverty."

### "Hope Ahead" Topic At Methodist Church

The New Year's theme will be observed on Sunday, Jan. 2, at the Methodist Church with the pastor preaching on "Hope Ahead." The junior ushers will serve at the 9:30 a.m. service. At the 11:00 a.m. service the choir will sing "Let All Mortal Flesh Keep Silence" by Holst. Church school classes for all ages meet at 9:30 a.m.

The official board of the church will meet on Thursday, Jan. 6, for its regular monthly business meeting. Meetings of the four Commissions will convene at 7:30 p.m. and the general board will meet at 8:00 p.m. All members are urged to be present.

The choir practices at 7:30 p.m. on Wednesday. New members are welcome.

## News of the Churches

### "Sailing Into The New Year" Sermon Subject of Rev. Leach

Declaring that what happens TO you in the New Year is not as important as what happens IN you, Rev. Harry P. Leach of the First Congregational Church used as his text "Except these abide in the ship we cannot be saved" taken from the story of Paul's journey to Rome as recorded in Acts 27. Encountering rough seas the sailors attempted to abandon ship but Paul admonished them to stay aboard if the ship was to arrive safe in port.

Mr. Leach used this ancient story as an illustration of a universal experience. "As we embark on the sea of a New Year's adventure", he said, "anything may happen and if we encounter rough seas there is a temptation to jettison a few things." The preacher used the craft as a simile of our life as we sail the sea of a new year. The craft he called CHARACTER which if it is to sail into home port must have sailors aboard to man the ship.

"The first sailor," said Mr. Leach, "we must keep aboard is COURAGE. When trouble comes, don't be afraid. Fear destroys us, but with courage aboard we are unconquerable. Sail into the New Year with courage aboard and bon voyage."

"Another indispensable sailor is HONOR. It underlies all civilized life. Without honor or men are brutes and women shameful. You may lose everything but if you cling to honor, you are a winner."

A third sailor we must have aboard is CHEER. Every age has its trouble and crisis. Men have companioned always with suffering and death. "The conquering soul is the one that faces the future with good cheer and refuses to whine and

complain." "Nothing matters in the long run" said the preacher, "but the temper of your spirit. Not what happens TO you but what happens IN YOUR SOUL."

We must keep Confidence aboard. Some call it FAITH. Mistrust, suspicion, doubt, so prevalent in the world today will not keep our ship on its course. Faith is one of the most creative forces we know. It gathers up all of life's forces and gives them direction and focus.

In conclusion, Mr. Leach said that we need to keep aboard our craft the good sailor ENDURANCE. Don't quit for to quit is to fail. Columbus sailed on and on and found a new world. Keep these five sailors aboard and God will speed you on your way.

### Missionaries From Africa And Ecuador Featured At Bethany

The Bethany Missionary Society will hold its regular monthly meeting on Jan. 4 at 10:45 a.m. in Bethany Church.

The eleven o'clock speakers will be Mr. and Mrs. Dallas K. Washer who will tell of their work in French West Africa. His work has particularly been among the Mohammedan and she has worked in the dispensary. They will be returning to the field in April and will then organize and start a Seminary. They will be showing pictures of their work.

At 12 o'clock there will be a covered dish luncheon to which all are most cordially invited and at 1:15 the officers for the new year will be installed.

At 1:30 Mr. and Mrs. Walter McAdams will be speaking and will also show pictures. They are home on their second furlough from Cuenca in the southern part of Ecuador where they worked both among the Indians and the Ecuadoreans. They have done Evangelistic work in Provinces where there is no other Gospel work.

There will also be special music and everyone is invited

### Congregational Fellowship Luncheon Jan. 4

The Women's Fellowship luncheon will be held at the Congregational Church Tuesday, Jan. 4 at 12:30 o'clock with Mrs. Percy Kortkamp in charge. Devotions will be led by Mrs. Robert Bell.

The Study Group will hold an informative discussion on the "Life of Dr. Albert Schweitzer" who was recently named Man of the Century for his great humanitarian work.

Dr. Schweitzer is a winner of a Nobel prize and holds the degree of doctor in three fields, medicine, divinity and music. He is also considered to be the greatest living authority on Bach.

Reservations for the luncheon should be made by calling Mrs. Robert Hicks, CU. 5-0135.

### New Year Service At Lutheran Church

On Friday evening at 7:30, the annual New Year's Eve Meditation Period will be held in Faith Lutheran Chapel, 835 Hastings Ranch Dr. Rev. A. Hesse states: "Although New Year is basically a civil event, it affords an excellent time for Christian meditation, for retrospect and prospect. We invite all of our friends in the community to this devotional hour."

The first service of the New Year will be conducted on Sunday morning at 10:30. Added features in the service will be the public reception of new members and the installation of the 1955 officers of the congregation.

Chosen as officers of the church last December 5 were the following members: F. Herzberg and D. Alsop, Elders; Dr. W. Schroeder, President; O. Kirmse, Secretary; R. V. Dugan, Treasurer; H. Wessels, Financial Secretary; A. Goepfinger, F. Schweppe and A. Barz, Trustees; and W. Zeit, W. Schroeder and C. Dreher, Stewardship Board.

#### LEGAL NOTICE

##### RESOLUTION NO. 1336

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SIERRA MADRE, CALIFORNIA, ORDERING THE WORK OF IMPROVING PORTIONS OF RAMONA AVENUE (two sections), FAIRVIEW AVENUE, CARTER AVENUE AND MICHELLIND BOULEVARD, IN THE CITY OF SIERRA MADRE, BY THE CONSTRUCTION AND INSTALLATION THEREIN OF CURBS, GUTTERS, GRADING AND OIL MACADAM PAVING, AND DIRECTING THE CITY CLERK TO POST AND PUBLISH A NOTICE INVITING SEALED PROPOSALS.

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Sierra Madre on September 28, 1954, duly and regularly passed and adopted Resolution of Intention No. 1324, declaring its intention to order the improvements of portions of Ramona Avenue, Fairview Avenue, Carter Avenue and Michillinda Boulevard in the City of Sierra Madre by the construction and installation of curbs, gutters, grading and oil macadam paving therein; and

WHEREAS, after the adoption thereof, said Resolution of Intention No. 1324 was duly and legally published and notices of the proposed improvement were duly and legally posted in the time, form, manner, locations and number as required by law along the line of the proposed improvement, and notices of the passage and adoption of said resolution were duly mailed to all persons owning real property proposed to be assessed for the improvements described in said Resolution No. 1324, as required by law; and

WHEREAS, a hearing was held on the 9th and 23rd days of November, 1954, at 8:00 o'clock P. M., at the City Hall, 55 West Sierra Madre Boulevard, in Sierra Madre, at which time all persons having any objections to the proposed improvements were present and were heard, and the City Council having duly received and considered evidence, oral and documentary, concerning the jurisdictional facts in this proceeding and concerning the necessity for the contemplated work and improvement and the benefits to be derived therefrom, found that protests were made by less than one-half of the owners of frontage proposed to be assessed or of the area within the proposed assessment district, and said protests were denied;

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SIERRA MADRE HEREBY RESOLVES AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. That the work of improving portions of Ramona Avenue, Fairview Avenue, Carter Avenue and Michillinda Boulevard, as aforesaid, known as Assessment District No. 3 in the City of Sierra Madre, by the construction and installation of curbs, gutters, grading and oil

## New Year To Be Welcomed At Bethany

A special New Year's Eve watch night service will be held for the members and friends of Bethany Church. A film, "Workers Together With God" will be shown at 10 p.m. Light refreshments will be served, and a prayer and testimony meeting will follow. This meeting stands as one of the highlights in Bethany's program and has always been a source of rich blessing and inspiration to those participating in the service.

Dr. Schaper and family have returned to Sierra Madre after attending a three day conference Home at which Dr. Schaper was the speaker. The conference was held for Dr. Graeme Smith's Church, the Community Church of Vista.

Dr. Schaper will be back in the pulpit Sunday morning. Sunday night will be Youth Night with the high school group taking charge of the meeting. Dr. Schaper will bring the message.

macadam paving, as more particularly described in said Resolution of Intention No. 1324, be and the same is hereby ordered to be done in accordance with the plans and specifications of the City Engineer, approved September 28, 1954, by Resolution No. 1321 of the City Council of the City of Sierra Madre, the City Council hereby determining and resolving that the public interest and convenience require the improvements herein referred to.

SECTION 2. That the City Clerk shall cause to be conspicuously posted for five (5) days on or near the Council Chamber door in the City Hall a notice inviting sealed bids for the work and making of said improvements herein ordered and to furnish the materials, supplies, equipment and services therefor, and shall cause said notice to be published by two insertions in the Sierra Madre News, a newspaper of general circulation, published in the City of Sierra Madre, in the time, manner and form provided by law.

SECTION 3. That sealed proposals or bids for the work hereinabove set forth will be received by the City Clerk of the City of Sierra Madre until eight (8) o'clock P. M., on Tuesday the 15th day of January, 1955, and will be publicly opened and declared immediately thereafter, in the Council Chambers in the City Hall of the City of Sierra Madre.

SECTION 4. Reference is hereby made to said Resolution of Intention No. 1324 on file in the office of said City Clerk for further particulars.

SECTION 5. The City Clerk shall certify to the adoption of this Resolution.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing Resolution was adopted at a regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Sierra Madre, held on the 14th day of December, 1954, by the affirmative vote of at least three Councilmen, to-wit:

AYES: Councilmen Pratt, Wood, Roberts, James and Louk.

NOES: None

ABSENT: None

L. MARIE WARFEL

City Clerk of the City of Sierra Madre

SIGNED AND APPROVED this 14th day of December, 1954,

CHARLES E. LOUK

Mayor of the City of Sierra Madre

Attest:

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10:00 a.m. Family Mass & Nursery School  
10:40 a.m. Church School Classes,  
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7:00 a.m. Low Mass Daily  
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(Wednesday)

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11:00 a.m. Worship Service

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There is a castle in our dreams where we take secrets and our most cherished hopes and ambitions. We may repair to it when the World of reality has misunderstood, has been cruel and unkind. Within the walls of this castle of ours, safe from prying eyes, we can map plans for the realization of our hopes and ambitions. To do this correctly we must have proper focus, proper directives and self disciplining. In other words our ambitions must be worthwhile, directed toward the right goal by a functioning conscience.

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ing. CU. 5-3260. A:5-13tf

## YOUR HEALTH

**ANOTHER CHAPTER**  
By Roy O. Gilbert, M.D.  
Los Angeles County Health  
Officer

Representing the milestone  
that it does, the beginning of  
the New Year is a good time  
for the individual to take stock  
of his way of life. Centuries  
ago, it was said that man's  
fate lies within himself and, to  
a certain extent at least, this  
is true. For life, or existence,  
according to the point of view,  
can be made more enjoyable  
by the practice of reasonably  
good physical and mental  
health habits.

Not all people realize that  
health and contentment are  
closely related. But the truth  
of this matter is, however, that  
it is difficult to be happy un-  
less healthy and if persistently  
disturbed over something or  
other, sooner or later physical  
well-being will be adversely  
affected.

Happiness, contentment, or  
peace of mind, or whatever else  
it may be called, is a thing  
that grows, or emanates, from  
within the individual. It is elu-  
sive of a capacity to meet the  
stresses of life and also of an  
ability to rise above the an-  
noyances, petty and otherwise,  
that seem to occur without end  
in day-to-day existence.

Nor does this imply accep-  
tance of the irresponsible men-  
tality which refuse to recognize  
the existence of these condi-  
tions when they do exist. "So  
what", "Why bother about it?"  
are attitudes that reveal a most  
unadmirable state of mind and  
lack of sound principles. It is  
really just another form of  
emotional immaturity since it  
shows a reluctance to face the  
facts as they exist.

The mature or well-adjusted  
person sees the problem from  
all angles, does what he can  
about it, adjusts to it, and lives  
with it without permitting his  
inner peace, and subsequently  
his health to be impaired. And,  
difficult though it may be,  
surely it is worth the effort.  
To acquit himself creditably in  
the business of living is in-  
dubitably one of the greatest  
satisfactions the individual can  
know.

Work, good health habits,  
and intelligently used leisure  
time are all essential to a sa-  
tisfactory way of life. For the  
rest, as a very good man once  
said, "Do the best you can and  
leave the rest to God."

### DRINKING AND DRIVING

Twenty-nine per cent of all  
drivers involved in death or in-  
jury traffic accidents in Cali-  
fornia during 1953 had been  
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cident, according to the Nation-  
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## Fireman Santa Greet 800 Children At Park

It was a familiar, Yuletide sight Christmas Eve when Veteran Fireman Joe Grippi drove the old red truck down Sierra Madre Blvd. at 7 p.m. with Gene Toms in the role of Santa Claus. With many of the Volunteer Firemen on hand to supervise the event, Santa gave loaded Christmas stockings to more than 800 children who jammed the area near the lighted tree at City Park.

Paying the cost from proceeds of their Christmas Dance, the Firemen also delivered 35 baskets of food to deserving people.

## SPORTS WRITER

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ROSE BOWL  
Ohio State vs Southern California

Ohio State Buckeyes, one of the three teams that went undefeated this year, are planning to keep up the old tradition of the Big Ten winning the Rose Bowl game. With a 9-0 record behind them, and 229 points for the season, the Buckeyes are going into the game pretty sure of winning. As long as Hubert Bobo their star fullback is able to play, Ohio State will remain favored by 14. And as long as Bobo is going to play, they'll have the fastest backfield in the nation.

The Trojans had one of the longest schedules of any team in the nation, playing eleven games, ending up with a record of 8-3. To top off the end of the long season, they had to play UCLA and Notre Dame in the last two weeks. They lost them both however 34-0 and 23-17, the latter score being that of the Irish game which SC almost won.

It's undoubtedly going to be a battle of the backfields with each team trying to sweep around the opposing team's end.

We may hate ourselves Sunday, but here's what we pick it to be... OHIO STATE 21 USC, 10.

## SIERRA MADRE SCHOOL CAFETERIA MENU—JAN. 3-7

Monday—Hot beef sandwich, string beans, apple and celery salad, frosted graham crackers, milk.

Tuesday—Chili beans, corn bread and butter, carrot and raisin salad, ice cream, milk.

Wednesday—Creamed chipped beef on mashed potatoes, bread and butter, tossed green salad, apple crisp, milk.

Thursday—Hamburgers, potato chips, lettuce and pickles, peaches, milk.

Friday—Tuna loaf, creamed peas, bread and butter, cranberry salad, orange wedges, milk.

## SEVEN OUT OF TEN

Seven out of ten traffic deaths in the United States during 1953 occurred in rural areas, according to the National Automobile Club.

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## Community Calendar

The community calendar is compiled by the Sierra Madre Coordinating Council and organizations may clear meeting dates with Mrs. T. R. Bauerle, CUster 5-9787.

December 30:  
7:15 Lions.  
7:00 Exchange Club.  
2:00 W.C.T.U.

December 31:  
7:30 Rifle Club.

January 3:  
10:00 Girl Scout Council.  
2:00 Friendship Club  
7:30 St. Rita's Guild  
8:00 Eastern Star.

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## MRS. RALPH "PAPPY" WELCH BREAKS HER LEFT ARM

Mrs. Ralph "Pappy" Welch, 509 W. Sierra Madre Blvd., broke her left arm Sunday morning, Dec. 19, when she fell down several hallway steps while hurrying to be on time at church. She was treated at the Duarte Medical Center and is now recovering with her arm in a cast.

Farmers And The Motor Vehicle  
Farmers in the United States own nearly seven million cars and trucks, according to the National Automobile Club.

## California Leads All States

California leads all other states in motor vehicle registrations, reports the National Automobile Club.

## LESTER J. DIVINE, Oakland

police chief — "Our biggest problem is to develop a strong community feeling to keep our surroundings clean."



We sincerely hope that the New Year is cooking up a full helping of all good things for you. May your portion of health, fortune and happiness be a heaping one. May your serving of hearty fellowship be double. And may success be part of your daily diet for '55!

## WE'RE SORRY..

To you many fine customers who were here last Friday, we want to say we're sincerely sorry for the unfortunate and uncontrollable situation which prevailed most of the day. In the last-minute rush, we were unable to provide the ordinarily good service to which you are accustomed.

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